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C O N F I D E N T I A L MOSCOW 2022

EO 11652: GDS
TAGS: TGEN PFOR UR
SUBJECT: VISIT OF USDEL: COMPUTER APPLICATIONS: (01.010503)

REF: MOSCOW 1497

1. EMBASSY INFORMED BY PROTOCOL TRAVEL SECTION, MFA, EVENING FEB
10 THAT REQUEST FOR TRAVEL OF FSO STARBIRD AND FSIO HESS TO TALLINN
DENIED BECAUSE CITY IS CLOSED "FOR REASONS OF A TEMPORARY NATURE."
SCICOUNS ATTEMPTED FEB 11 TO HAVE DECISION REVERSED THROUGH STATE
COMMITTEE FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND AMERICAN DESK, MFA
(FEDOSEYEV), WITHOUT SUCCESS. STARBIRD WILL ATTEMPT TO JOIN
USDEL ON OTHER PORTIONS OF ITINERARY.

2. SCICOUNS INFORMED SCST BY LETTER FEB 2 THAT STARBIRD AND
HESS WOULD ACCOMPANY DELEGATION AND RECEIVED CONFIRMATION FEB 9
THAT SCST SUPPORTED THIS TRAVEL. EMBASSY HAS UNDERLINED TO SCST AND
MFA THAT DENIAL OF TRAVEL REQUEST WOULD BE VIEWED AS A VIOLATION OF
SECTION 5 OF THE BILATERAL CULTURAL RELATIONS AGREEMENT.

3. SOVIET ACTION, DENYING EMBASSY (AT LAST MOMENT) THE CHANCE
TO PARTICIPATE IN A POTENTIALLY USEFUL EXCHANGE, REPRESENTS IN
OUR VIEW A SERIOUS CHALLENGE. IT INTRODUCES ELEMENT OF UNCERTAINTY
CONCERNING OUR PARTICIPATION IN ANY DELEGATION TRAVELING OUTSIDE
MOSCOW. CLEARLY WE SHOULD, AT MINIMUM, RESPOND BY DENYING SOVIET
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EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON TRAVEL REQUEST IN RETALIATION, PARTICULARLY IF
ONE CAN BE FOUND WHICH DEPARTMENT THINKS OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO
THE EMBASSY. IN CASE AT HAND, WE BELIEVE THAT EXECUTIVE SECRETARY
AND DELEGATION SHOULD BE INFORMED WITH A VIEW TO HAVING THEM REGISTER
DISPLEASURE AT THIS TURN OF EVENTS DURING SESSION AT TALLINN AND
AGAIN UPON ARRIVAL IN MOSCOW.
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